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Applicant(s) : Tomoko OYABU et al.  
Serial No. : 09/627,725  
For : PROGRAM GUIDE INFORMATION PROVIDING  
DEVICE, PROGRAM DEVICE INFORMATION  
PROVIDING SYSTEM, INFORMATION  
RECEIVING DEVICE, REMOTE OPERATING  
SYSTEM, AND METHOD THEREOF  
Filed : July 28, 2000  
Examiner : Son P. HUYNH  
Art Unit : 2611

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**AMENDMENT**

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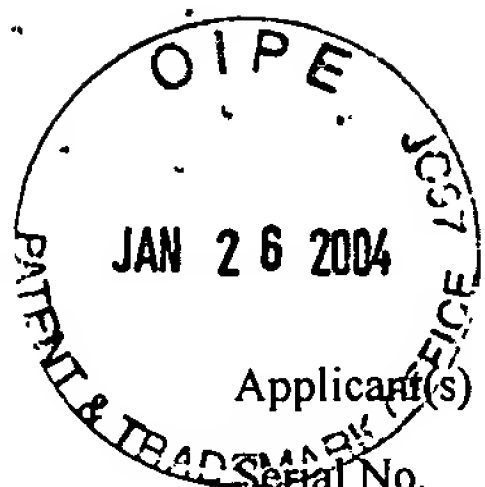
Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated October 24, 2003, please  
amend this application as follows:

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required.  
☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below.  
☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

**Claims as Amended**

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	40	Minus	** =20	* 20 x	\$18 (9)	= \$ 360
Independent claims	8	Minus	*** =8	* 0 x	\$84 (42)	= \$ 0
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$ 360

- \* If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.  
\*\* If the highest number of total claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.  
\*\*\* If the highest number of independent claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$280(140) has been previously paid ☐, or is paid herewith ☐.
- ☐ This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$360.00 is attached, which covers the cost of ☒ additional claims \_\_\_\_\_ petition for extension of time.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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